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## MEMORANDUM

TO: APPAM Policy Council

FROM: Charles Wolf, Jr.

SUBJECT: POLICY COUNCIL MEETING, OCTOBER 22, 1981

COPIES: Raymond Vernon (Harvard)  
Eric Hanushek (University of Rochester)  
Mary Curtis, Allan Wittman (Wiley & Sons)

The agenda for the APPAM Council meeting on Thursday, October 22, 1981, is attached. The meeting will begin at 6:00 pm with cocktails in the Mediterranean Room of the International Club, 1800 K St., N.W., Washington, D.C. We will sit down to dinner at 6:45 pm, with the Council meeting scheduled to start at 7:45 pm or 8:00 pm.

As you will see, the agenda is quite long. In the interest of conserving time, I request your cooperation on the following points:

1. Please bring copies of the letters or memoranda referred to under several of the specific items of the agenda, and which have been sent to you previously. I would like to avoid the extra paper shuffling and inconvenience of having a sheaf of extra documents to pass around at the start of each agenda item.
2. Let's try to make our comments and interventions under each of the listed items as terse and pointed as possible, in the interest of saving time.

TO: Policy Council

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Even with goodwill and cooperation on these matters, it is doubtful that we will complete the agenda on Thursday evening. Consequently, I have also scheduled a breakfast meeting on Friday, October 23, at 7:30 am in the Board Room at the Hotel Shoreham, to take up any remaining items that we have not concluded on Thursday evening.

Incidentally, it would be helpful if all members of the Council would pre-register for the meeting to save time, and to put some extra funds in our depleted coffers in advance of the meeting.



CW:cjp

Attachment: As noted

P.S. -- Please RSVP your attendance to Carolyn Pierce (213) 393-0411, x452, so that we can have a head count for dinner.



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## AGENDA

### APPAM Policy Council Meeting

6:00 pm, October 22, 1981  
Mediterranean Room, International Club  
1800 K St., NW, Washington, D.C.

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1. Treasurer's Report -- Hazleton
2. Report on APPAM institution-building (per Council resolution, 5/1/81)
  - Membership -- Hazleton, Sindler
  - PAM cover statement -- Wolf
  - APPAM conference -- Wolf
3. Journal status and plans -- Vernon (Harvard); Wittman or Curtis (Wiley)
4. Plans for 1980 Proceedings -- Zeckhauser or Hazleton
5. Schools' participation in Sloan/APPAM Minority Program -- Hanushek (URoch), Weiner (enclosures to Wolf letters: CWL 4241 (9/28/81) and CWL 4216 (8/28/81))
6. Proposed 1982 APPAM Conference on Public Policy and Management (per Council meeting 5/1/81)
  - Proposal to Ford Foundation -- Sindler (Enclosure to Wolf letter CWL 4215 (8/28/81))
  - Need for matching funds (Exxon Educational Foundation -- Fleishman)
7. Proposal for masters' theses to evaluate effects of Federal budget cuts -- Gorham (Gorham memo of 7/17/81)
8. Carnegie Mellon proposal for presentation of James Barr Memorial Award (Crecine letter, 8/27/81, attached)
9. Report on agenda for October 23 business meeting -- Wolf, Weinberg
10. Plans for 1982 and 1983 APPAM meetings -- Brandl, Nagel



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Dean John P. Crecine  
College of Humanities and  
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Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213

Dear Pat,

Thank you for your letter of August 27. I agree with your suggestion that the issue of the James L. Barr Memorial Award should be discussed at the APPAM Policy Council meeting on October 22, and I will put it on the agenda. Assuming the reaction of the Council is affirmative, there should be no problem in arranging for a brief presentation ceremony at one of the luncheon meetings for you to make the award, probably on the 23rd.

With best wishes,

Sincerely,

CW:cjp

CC: Toby Davis  
Bill Morrill  
Joel Fleishman

**Carnegie Mellon University**

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August 27, 1981

Dr. Charles Wolf, Jr.  
Dean, RGI  
The RAND Corporation  
1700 Main Street  
Santa Monica, CA 90406

Dear Charlie:

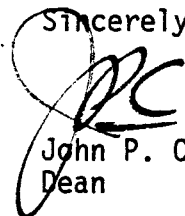
Ned Gramlick tells me you are the person to talk to about the luncheon schedule for the APPAM meetings.

I would like to request five minutes at one of the luncheon meetings to present the 1981 James L. Barr Memorial Award for the best work in public economics (by an untenured faculty member) to this year's winner.

I had asked Joel Fleishman last summer if we couldn't use the Award to further the purposes of the Association and enhance the prestige of the Award. In light of other misunderstandings based on verbal transactions, perhaps the "issue" should be put before the APPAM Board and formally dealt with.

The Award is based on the income from a fund established at Carnegie Mellon. It consists of an engraved, gold mantle clock and \$300-\$500 in cash (depending on the endowment yield). CMU administers the award, but I'd be happy to support formal APPAM representation on the selection committee, for example.

Sincerely yours,



John P. Crecine  
Dean

JPC:vys

cc: O. A. Davis

Solicitation of Nominations for

# JAMES L. BARR MEMORIAL AWARD IN PUBLIC ECONOMICS

*Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management*

The James L. Barr Award is made annually for the best scholarly work in applied, public economics by a junior faculty member.

## *Purpose*

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To encourage young faculty in the social sciences to address applied questions in the public sector using the methods and theories of economics, broadly defined, consistent with the highest academic standards. These purposes reflect the too-short professional career of James L. Barr (1942-1977).

## *Eligibility*

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All untenured university faculty members, except those who received their Ph.D. degrees prior to 1974.

## *Nominations and Award*

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Nominations should be addressed to the Awards Committee and, for the 1981 Barr Award, should be submitted prior to May 1, 1981. Nominations should consist of a brief statement on behalf of the nominee and a copy of the article or scholarly work that is the basis of the nomination. The Award carries with it a cash prize. The winner of the 1981 James L. Barr Memorial Award will be honored at the annual meeting of the Association for Public Policy Analysis and Management in October of 1981.

## *Address Nominations to:*

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James L. Barr Memorial  
Award Committee  
c/o John P. Crecine  
Carnegie-Mellon University  
Pittsburgh, PA 15213

## *Awards Committee:*

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Richard M. Cyert (Carnegie-Mellon University)  
Otto A. Davis (Carnegie-Mellon University)  
John P. Crecine (Carnegie-Mellon University)  
Ted Bergstrom (University of Michigan)  
John E. Jackson (University of Pennsylvania)



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### APPAM BUSINESS MEETING

12:15 p.m., October 23, 1981  
Forum Room, Hotel Shoreham

1. Treasurer's Report (Hazleton)
2. Journal of Policy Analysis and Management  
Status Report (Vernon)
3. Report of Nominating Committee (Weinberg)  
(including proposed amendment to make  
Journal editor ex officio member of Council)
4. James Barr Memorial Award
5. Other Business